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SUBJ: FOOTNOTES ON KURSK STEEL COMPLEX

REF: (A) MOSCOW 11797; (B) MOSCOW 12017

1. ECONMINISTRY OFFICE DIRECTOR FOR EAST-WEST TRADE, JAHNKE, RECENTLY CONFIRMED REF A REPORT THAT MOSCOW WILL PAY CASH FOR PHASE I DELIVERIES TO KURSK PROJECT. HE NOTED GENERAL FRG EXPECTATION THAT SOVIETS WILL DEMAND CREDITS FOR PHASE II, BUT SAID THAT, TO HIS KNOWLEDGE, CREDIT NEGOTIATIONS NOT YET IN TRAIN.

2. PELLETIZING PLANT, ACCORDING JAHNKE, WILL ENTER PRODUCTION 1979. HE SAID THAT USSR WILL LIKELY ABSORB ENTIRE PHASE I PRODUCTION BUT THAT CONSORTIUM FIRMS HOPE TO ACQUIRE PART OF PHASE 2 PRODUCTION FOR WEST GERMAN MARKET.

3. WE WILL PURSUE POINT REF B WITH JAHNKE AT OUR NEXT MEETING.
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